conferred by the declaration of a national emergency with respect to Iran are reported to be approximately \$1.7 million, most of which represent wage and salary costs for Federal personnel. Personnel costs were largely centered in the Department of the Treasury (particularly in the Office of Foreign Assets Control, the U.S. Customs Service, the Office of the Under Secretary for Enforcement, and the Office of the General Counsel); the Department of State (particularly the Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs, the Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs, the Bureau of Intelligence and Research, and the Office of the Legal Adviser); and the Department of Commerce (the Bureau of Export Administration and the General Counsel's Office).

8. The situation reviewed above continues to present an extraordinary and unusual threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States. The declaration of the national emergency with respect to Iran contained in Executive Order 12957 and the comprehensive economic sanctions imposed by Executive Order 12959 underscore the Government's opposition to the actions and policies $\tilde{\text{of}}$ the Government of Iran, particularly its support of international terrorism and its efforts to acquire weapons of mass destruction and the means to deliver them. The Iranian Transactions Regulations issued pursuant to Executive Orders 12957, 12959, and 13059 continues to advance important objectives in promoting the nonproliferation and antiterrorism policies of the United States. I shall exercise the powers at my disposal to deal with these problems and will report periodically to the Congress on significant developments.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.
THE WHITE HOUSE, September 16, 1998.
By unanimous consent, the message was referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 105–312).

¶91.18 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. UNDER-WOOD, for today and the balance of the week.

And then,

¶91.19 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Bob SCHAFFER of Colorado, at 11 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned.

¶91.20 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 4017. A bill to extend certain programs under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act and the Energy Conservation and Production Act, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105–727). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BURTON: Committee on Government Reform and Oversight. Report on the Refusal of Attorney General Janet Reno to Produce Documents Subpoenaed by the Government Reform and Oversight Committee (Rept. No. 105–728). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. McINNIS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 544. Resolution providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules (Rept. No. 105–729). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶91.21 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. CASTLE:

H.R. 4590. A bill to allow all States to participate in activities under the Education Flexibility Partnership Demonstration Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. STARK (for himself and Mr. CARDIN):

H.R. 4591. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for home health case manager services under the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. STARK:

H.R. 4592. A bill to amend titles XI and XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a program to ensure that home health agencies do not employ individuals who have a history of patient or resident abuse or have been convicted of certain crimes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CRAPO: H.R. 4593. A bill to establish a National Resources Institute at the Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory; to the Committee on Science. By Mr. FOSSELLA (for himself, Mr.

By Mr. FOSSELLA (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. FORBES, Mr. ENSIGN, and Mr. KLUG):

H.R. 4594. A bill to provide funds to States to establish and administer periodic teacher testing and merit pay programs for elementary and secondary school teachers; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. REGULA (for himself, Mr. LI-PINSKI, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. WELLER, Mr. HYDE, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. DICKS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. CRANE, Mr. PORTER, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. EVANS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. EWING, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. WAMP, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. MCDADE, and Mr. MURTHA):

H.R. 4595. A bill to redesignate a Federal building located in Washington, D.C., as the "Sidney R. Yates Federal Building".; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SMITH of Michigan (for himself and Mr. THUNE):

H.R. 4596. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that certain farming-related section 1231 gains and losses shall not be taken into account in determining whether a taxpayer is eligible for the earned income credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶91.22 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 68: Mr. BLILEY and Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 326: Mr. BLILEY, Mr. FROST, Mr. McInnis, and Ms. Danner.

H.R. 902: Mr. BILIRAKIS and Mr. ENSIGN.

H.R. 1126: Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 1134: Mr. PEASE.

H.R. 1231: Mr. COYNE. H.R. 2670: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 2819: Mr. BALDACCI.

H.R. 2879: Mr. GOODLATTE.

 $\mbox{H.R.}$ 2882: Mr. Shadegg and Mr. Barr of Georgia.

H.R. 2914: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 2939: Ms. DANNER.

H.R. 3261: Mrs. MYRICK.

H.R. 3523: Mr. ROGERS.

H.R. 3792: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3831: Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 3925: Mr. Borski.

H.R. 4018: Mr. DOYLE, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Mr. LAMPSON.

 $H.R.\ 4121:\ Mr.\ PRICE$ of North Carolina and Mr. LAHOOD.

H.R. 4132: Ms. PELOSI.

H.R. 4157: Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 4204: Mr. BALLENGER and Mr. CAL-VERT.

H.R. 4217: Mr. CAMPBELL.

H.R. 4220: Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 4229: Mr. NEY.

H.R. 4235: Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 4242: Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 4249: Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 4251: Mr. BARR of Georgia and Mr. KINGSTON.

 $H.R.\ 4266;\ Mr.\ UNDERWOOD$ and $Mr.\ KUCINICH.$

H.R. 4281: Mr. CAMPBELL.

H.R. 4339: Mrs. EMERSON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Ms. Brown of Florida.

 $\mbox{H.R.}$ 4402: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania and Mr. Cooksey.

H.R. 4404: Mr. COOKSEY and Mr. JENKINS.

H.R. 4415: Mr. KINGSTON and Mr. NEY.

H.R. 4447: Mrs. Chenoweth.

 $\ensuremath{\text{H.R.}}$ 4461: Mr. KINGSTON and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 4472: Mr. HALL of Texas and Mr. McGovern.

H.R. 4567: Mr. CARDIN, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. WELLER, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, and Mr. EHLERS.

H.R. 4577: Ms. KILPATRICK and Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 4587: Mr. HEFLEY.

H. Con. Res. 210: Mr. STENHOLM.

H. Con. Res. 264: Mr. MOLLOHAN.

 $\mbox{H.}$ Con. Res. 295: Mr. GILMAN and Mr. HOYER.

 $H.\ Res.\ 532;\ Mr.\ COBLE,\ Mr.\ MANZULLO,\ and\ Mr.\ UPTON.$

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1998 (92)

¶92.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMER-SON, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,

September 18, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable Jo Ann EMERSON to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

$\P92.2$ Approval of the journal

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EMERSON, announced she had exam-

ined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, September 17, 1998

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶92.3 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

11053. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Triclopyr; Extension of Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-300695; FRL 6021-5] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received August 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture

11054. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Deltamethrin; Pesticide Tolerance [OPP-300669; FRL-5795-2] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received August 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11055. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Charter and Bylaws; One Member, One Vote [No. 98–89] (RIN 1550-AB17) received August 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

11056. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—1998 Reporting Notice and Technical Amendment; Partial Updating of TSCA Inventory Data Base; Production and Site Reports [OPPTS-82051; FRL-6028-3] received August 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11057. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; Enhanced Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program [PA 119-4074a; FRL-6148-3] received August 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11058. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maryland; Amendments to VOC Regulations for Dry Cleaning and Stage I Vapor Recovery [MD 061-3028a, MD 065-3028a; FRL-6148-1] received August 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11059. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania: Attainment Demonstration and Contingency Measures for the Liberty Borough PM-10 Nonattainment Area [PA039/067-4077; FRL-6149-1] received August 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11060. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmiting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plan for New Mexico: General Conformity Rules [NM 22-1-7103a; FRL-6152-4] received August 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11061. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmiting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; California State Implementation Plan Revision, South Coast Air Quality Management District [CA 212-0092a; FRL-6142-5] received August 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11062. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, revironmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants Aerospace Manufacturing and Rework Facilities [AD-FRL-6154-1] (RIN: 2060-AE02) received August 28, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11063. A letter from the Acting Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Natural Rubber-Containing Medical Devices; User Labeling; Cold Seal Adhesives Partial Stay [Docket No. 96N-0119] received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11064. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Medical Device Reporting: Manufacturer Reporting, Importer Reporting, User Facility Reporting, Distributor Reporting [Docket No. 98N-0170] received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11065. A letter from the Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants: Final Rule To List the Illinois Cave Amphipod as Endangered (RIN: 1018–AE31) received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

11066. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Fairfax, VA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AEA-13] received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11067. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Tidioute, PA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AEA-05] received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11068. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Danville, VA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AEA-12] received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11069. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Aerospatiale Model SN-601 (Corvette) Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-158-AD; Amendment 39-10720; AD 98-18-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11070. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revocation of Class D and E Airspace; Crows Landing, CA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AWP-12] received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11071. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting

the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model MD-90-30 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-255-AD; Amendment 39-10735; AD 98-18-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

11072. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pilatus Britten-Norman Ltd. BN-2, BN-2A, BN-2B, and BN-2A MK. 111 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-CE-111-AD; Amendment 39-10723; AD 98-18-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received August 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11073. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; JOHNSON City, TX [Airspace Docket No. 98-ASW-33] received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11074. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-9-80 Series Airplanes and Model MD-90-30 and MD-88 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-10-AD; Amendment 39-10733; AD 98-18-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11075. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—IFR Altitudes; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29322; Amdt. No. 411] received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11076. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Expansion of Restricted Area R-6002, Poinsett-Sumter, SC [Airspace Docket No. 94–ASO-9] (RIN: 2120–AA66) received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11077. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 757-200 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-242-AD; Amendment 39-10730; AD 98-18-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11078. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Prairie Du Chien, WI Correction [Airspace Docket No. 98-AGL-32] received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11079. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 757-200, -200PF, and -200CB Series Airplanes Equipped with Rolls-Royce Model RB211-535E4/E4B Engines [Docket No. 98-NM-183-AD; Amendment 39-10743; AD 94-13-02 R1] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11080. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A320 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-01-AD; Amendment 39-10732; AD 98-18-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.